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INTEGRATED TRANSPORT POLICY
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Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to prepare an Integrated Transport Policy to take into account the four principal modes of transport;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government has conducted any study in this regard; and

(d) if so, the outcome thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING(SHRI M.V. RAJASEKHARAN)

(a) & (b): The evolution of Transport Policy, keeping pace with the changing requirements, advancements in technology and expanding opportunities and challenges, is an ongoing process. Before the commencement of any Five Year Plan, various sectoral Working Groups on transport are constituted, which provide crucial inputs for formulation of a Plan/policies relating to various modes of transport. Transport Policy accordingly, gets delineated in the various Plan Documents.

(c) & (d): Various sectoral/sub-sectoral studies in the field of transportation, have been done periodically. These constitute important inputs for formulating Plans, policies,processes and procedures.